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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the State of Illinois learned with regret of the death of Bernard "Barney" Loeb, the founder of Vernon Hills, on Friday August 29, 2003; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Loeb was born on December 9, 1918 in Chicago and had lived most of his adult life in the Libertyville area; he was a contractor and developer of several areas in Lake County and was also the founder of Ironwood Industries; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Loeb was a private pilot and had served with distinction in the United States Army during World War II; he was also a devoted and sustaining member of St. Joseph Church in Libertyville; and

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WHEREAS, The passing of Bernard Loeb has been deeply felt by all who knew and loved him, especially his wife, Mary Louise; his children, Barney (Lynda) Loeb II, Dianne (the late Pate) Elmquest, Mark Loeb, Manny Salabounis, Mary Salabounis, and John (Tammi) Salabounis; his grandchildren, Barney III, Billy, Ashley, and Darcy Loeb, John and Stacy Elmquest, and Ava Marie Salabounis; and his sisters, Agnes (Ralph) Padgett and Patricia Loeb; he was preceded in death by his first wife, Dorothy, and his brothers, Paul and Francis; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of Bernard Loeb and extend our deepest sympathy to his family, friends, and community; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Bernard Loeb as an expression of our sincerest condolences.